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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendment and remarks contained herein in response to the Office Action mailed April 10, 2008. Applicant respectfully submits that the amendments and remarks contained herein place the instant application in condition for allowance. A substitute specification is being submitted as requested. Please replace the original specification with the accompanying substitute specification under 37 CFR §1.125.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.